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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Joseph J. Farnan, Jr. United States District Court 844 North King Street Wilmington, DE 19801

Re:

Symbol Technologies, Inc., et al v. Aruba Networks, Inc.

C.A. No. 07-519-JJF

Dear Judge Farnan:

We write on behalf of Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter, and in response to the July 16, 2008 letter to the Court from Frederick L. Cottrell, III, counsel for defendant Aruba Networks, Inc. ("Aruba"). Last night, Aruba filed a Motion to Amend the Answer and Counterclaim in this action; Mr. Cottrell's letter asked that the Court expedite a hearing on that motion, which is currently scheduled for September 12, pursuant to Your Honor's Motion Day Schedule. Without expedited treatment, pursuant to the Local Rules, and as confirmed in a docket item entered this morning, Plaintiffs' opposition papers are due on August 4, 2008.

In those opposition papers, Plaintiffs intend to explain fully why the Motion to Amend should be denied. Suffice to say in this letter, that while Aruba has styled it a Motion to Amend, it is in fact no such thing. Rather, Aruba seeks to inject into this existing lawsuit (which concerns Plaintiffs' patents), infringement claims on two of Aruba's completely separate and unrelated patents, which have never been part of this case and which were never even identified to Plaintiffs by Aruba. In other words, Aruba does not seek to amend this case at all but to commence a brand new patent infringement case on two of its own patents, and inject those brand new claims into the existing case which has already been pending for almost a year. Plaintiffs respectfully submit that there is no reason for expedited hearing on Aruba's motion.

Respectfully submitted, /s/ Richard L. Horwitz
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